SENATE BILL 2207

By Ford, O.

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 53, Chapter 8, Part 2 and Title 68, Chapter 14, relative to food safety.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 53, Chapter 8, Part 2, is amended by adding a new section thereto, as follows:

Section 53-8-223. When handling or preparing food each employee within a retail food store or food service establishment shall wear clean and sanitary, plastic or latex disposable gloves.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-14-321, is amended by designating the current language as subsection (a) and by adding the following new language to be designated as subsection (b):

(b) When handling or preparing food each employee within a food service establishment must wear clean and sanitary, plastic or latex disposable gloves.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, Chapter 14, Part 7, is amended by adding a new section thereto, as follows:

Section 68-14-706. When handling or preparing food each employee within a quick fast food establishment shall wear clean and sanitary, plastic or latex disposable gloves.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect on July 1, 2009, the public welfare requiring it.